I rarely listen to radio programs now due to the blandness of radio programming. This pending rule change to allow further consolidation of broadcast TV ownership will no doubt turn me off from TV. I think Mike Powell is doing a good job of turning consumers away from the broadcast media. Is this all part of a strategy to kill off broadcast media and force people to rely more on the Internet?

I am also curious about this forum the FCC has set up for public comments. Is anyone reading this and do they have any effect on how the FCC vote on matters? Will the FCC be willing to publicize a tally of the comments received on this matter and illustrate whether FCC policy actually reflect the comments it has received?